

Michiel Wittink (viola, 1995) is based in London and in Amsterdam. After finishing his undergraduate degree at the Conservatory of Amsterdam with Francien Schatborn, he's currently pursuing his Master's degree at Guildhall School for Music & Drama with Rachel Roberts.

He additionally played on several festivals including Harnos Festival Porto, Grachtenfestival Amsterdam, Aurora Festival Sweden, Encuentro Santander, MISA festival Shanghai, Orlando Festival and European Chamber Music Academy.

Michiel is also co-founder and violist of 'de Formule': a chamber group which combines classical music with exploring different cross art collaborations. In 2018 the ensemble won the 1st and performance prize at the Grand Chamber Music Competition in Rotterdam. They have been invited for concerts in the Netherlands, France, the UK, Portugal, Iceland and Norway.

Moreover he played in several orchestras including the North Netherlands Orchestra, the Jazz Orchestra of the Concertgebouw and worked as co-principal in the European Union Youth Orchestra. He also held principal positions in the Chamber Orchestra of Berlin, Amsterdam's Modern Orchestra, the Dutch Student Orchestra and the National Youth Orchestra of the Netherlands.

He also took part in masterclasses violists amongst Sophia Reuter, Daniel Bard, Saeko Oguma, Isabelle van Keulen, Sven Arne Tepl, Asdis Valdimarsdottir, Sophia Reuter, Jurgen Kussmaul, Daniel Palmizio and Wenting Kang.

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